

Yeas—14

Aikin	Hudson
Ashley	Lane
Bracewell	Lock
Bullock	Moffett
Colson	Nokes
Hardeman	Shofner
Hazlewood	Weinert

Nays—14

Bell	Moore
Carter	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Fuller	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Martin	Wagonseller

Absent

Carney	McDonald
Russell	

The President voted "yea" and accordingly the Senate at 11:56 o'clock a. m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

(Tuesday, March 20, 1951)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Nokes
Carter	Parkhouse
Colson	Phillips
Corbin	Russell
Fuller	Shofner
Hardeman	Strauss
Hazlewood	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Wagonseller
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Lane	

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Message From the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

H. B. No. 409, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 7, 8, and 9 of Acts, 1939, Forty-sixth Legislature, page 602, known as the Certificate of Title Act, re-defining certain terms used therein, containing a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 202, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending House Bill No. 77, Chapter 467, Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Second Called Session, 1935, as amended, being the Texas Liquor Control Act and being the Act codified as Articles 666 and 667, Vernon's Penal Code, by amending Section 17, Article I of said Act, so as to make it unlawful for any person holding a Wine Only Package Store Permit or owning an interest in a Wine Only Package Store Permit to have an interest either directly or indirectly in a Manufacturer's License, General Distributor's License, Branch Distributor's License, Local Distributor's License, Wine and Beer Retailer's Permit or a Retail Dealer's On-Premise License or the business thereof; making it unlawful to hold or have an interest directly or indirectly in more than five (5) Package Store Permits; providing for the consolidation of the businesses of holders of Package Store Permits under certain conditions; and declaring an emergency."

S. C. R. No. 36, Relating to the Fortieth Anniversary Celebration of the pioneer citizens of Electra, Texas.

S. C. R. No. 37, Inviting Hon. Francis P. Matthews to address a joint session at 11:30 a. m., April 19, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,
CLARENCE JONES,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Carney submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 12, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the attached committee substitute do pass in lieu thereof, and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

C. S. S. B. No. 12 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 55, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass, but that the attached committee substitute do pass in lieu thereof, and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

C. S. S. B. No. 55 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 115, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 116, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Fi-

nance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 378, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 133, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman

Senator Hudson submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Oil, Gas and Conservation, to whom was referred S. B. No. 275, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

HUDSON, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Oil, Gas and Conservation, to whom was referred H. B. No. 272, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

HUDSON, Chairman

Senator Phillips submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 197, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 319, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 368, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 9, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 370, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 242, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred H. B. No. 89, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 362, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. R. No. 80, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred S. B. No. 79, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

PHILLIPS, Chairman

Senator Carter submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
March 19, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Counties and County Boundaries, to whom was referred H. B. No. 172, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it

back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be not printed.

CARTER, Chairman

Senator Bracewell submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence, to whom was referred S. B. No. 323, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

BRACEWELL, Chairman

Senate Bill 379 on First Reading

Senator Nokes moved that Senate Rule 114, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Martin
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Carter	Nokes
Colson	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Hardeman	Russell
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Lane	Wagonseller
Lock	Weinert

Absent

Ashley	Fuller
Bullock	

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Nokes:

S. B. No. 379, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the State Board of Education to sell or exchange United States Treasury bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness or other securities issued by the United States Treasury held by the State Treasurer for the account of the permanent

school fund; providing that such obligations shall not be sold for less than the price paid therefor at the time of purchase; providing that obligations shall not be exchanged for other obligations having a par value less than the par value of the obligations to be exchanged; requiring the State Treasurer to deliver obligations sold or exchanged pursuant to the provisions of this Act in accordance with directions of the State Board of Education; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Educational Affairs.

Senate Bill 380 on First Reading

Senator Phillips moved that Senate Rule 114, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Nokes
Carter	Parkhouse
Colson	Phillips
Corbin	Russell
Fuller	Shofner
Hardeman	Strauss
Hazlewood	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Wagonseller
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Lane	

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Phillips:

S. B. No. 380, A bill to be entitled "An Act to permit any county containing a population of not less than seven thousand eight hundred and thirty-five (7,835) nor more than seven thousand eight hundred and fifty (7,850) according to the last preceding Federal census, or any future Federal census, to adopt by a majority vote of qualified voters of such county a county unit system to the extent provided in this Act; making provisions for the formation of a county-wide school district therein; making provision for holding election

in each such county on the question of the adoption of the provisions of this Act; making provision for holding election in each such county to determine whether an equalization tax not to exceed twenty (20) cents on the one hundred dollars valuation of property shall be levied and collected annually on all taxable property in the county, such tax to be distributed to the school districts of the county as herein provided; making provision for the assessment and collection of said equalization tax, and prescribing the duties of the County Tax Assessor and Collector and County Superintendent; prescribing the duties of the County Board of School Trustees with respect to such tax and the funds derived therefrom; providing for the making of bond by the Tax Collector; providing that all rights, duties and powers of the several common and independent school districts in any such county shall remain undisturbed and shall not be affected, except as expressly provided in this Act; providing a saving clause; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Bill 381 on First Reading

Senator Bracewell moved that Senate Rule 114, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—31

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Nokes
Carter	Parkhouse
Colson	Phillips
Corbin	Russell
Fuller	Shofner
Hardeman	Strauss
Hazlewood	Tynan
Hudson	Vick
Kelley of Hidalgo	Wagonseller
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Lane	

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senator Bracewell:

S. B. No. 381, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 1 of the Acts of 1927, 40th Legislature, First Called Session, page 489, Chapter 106 (Such Act as amended appearing as Article 1105b of Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), to provide that streets upon or along a boundary of any city referred to in said Act may be improved by such city whether lying wholly within its limits, partly within and partly without its limits, or wholly without its limits, and that the assessments provided in such Act may be levied against the abutting property outside of the limits of the city initiating the improvement, subject to approval thereof by the governing body of any other city within which such abutting property lies; and so as to provide further that when such street is upon or along the boundary between any two such cities, such two cities may through their governing bodies agree upon the division between them of the cost or of a part of the cost of such improvement; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Towns and City Corporations.

Senate Bill 382 on First Reading

Senator Fuller moved that Senate Rule 114, and Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended to permit his introducing at this time, a bill, the provisions of which he explained.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Carter	Nokes
Colson	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Fuller	Russell
Hardeman	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Wagonseller
Lane	Weinert

Absent

Bell

The following bill was then introduced, read first time and referred to the committee indicated:

By Senators Fuller and Kelley of Hidalgo:

S. B. No. 382, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the filing fees of candidates for nomination for State Senator in certain senatorial districts; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on State Affairs.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 38

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo offered the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 38, Invitation to Hon. Donald R. Wilson, Chairman of the American Legion's Foreign Relations Commission, to address a joint session of the Legislature.

Whereas, On the 23rd day of April, 1951, the State of Texas, and the City of Austin, will be honored by a visit from a distinguished figure in our national life, Honorable Donald R. Wilson of Clarksburg, West Virginia; and

Whereas, Mr. Wilson rendered a distinct service in World War II, and was the first veteran of that war to hold the high office of Commander of the American Legion, Department of West Virginia; and

Whereas, Mr. Wilson has been very active and prominent in the national affairs of the American Legion, and is presently serving as Chairman of the Legion's Foreign Relations Commission, and is rendering a service of the utmost importance to the entire Nation; and, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, that Mr. Donald R. Wilson be invited to address the Legislature in joint session assembled, at 11:30 a. m., on the 23rd day of April, 1951.

KELLEY of Hidalgo
PHILLIPS

The resolution was read.

On motion of Senator Kelley of Hidalgo, and by unanimous consent, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 108

Senator Nokes offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The Cayuga High School Wildcats basketball team have showed outstanding ability this season and

their coach, Mr. Joe Turner, showed outstanding ability as a coach; and

Whereas, By virtue of such outstanding accomplishment they were undefeated in the 1951 Interscholastic League Basketball Tournament and were thus declared State Class B champions in basketball; and

Whereas, That great and inspired team is composed of the young men whose names follow: Buddy Ball, Buddy Brumley, Kelly Duncan, Ned Duncan, Kenneth Fitzpatrick, H. A. Jones, Joe Loner, Tommy McCollum, Harold Rumpy, Cornel Riley, Lionel Riley, Larry Turner, and their coach, Joe Turner; and

Whereas, Through their prodigious efforts and enviable record of fine playing and sportsmanship they have brought honor, fame, and glory to themselves, their parents, their school, and their State; and

Whereas, The Senate of the State of Texas stands ever ready to recognize great accomplishments with proper recognition; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That our sincerest congratulations and our heartiest applause be offered to Coach Joe Turner and to each member of the Cayuga High School Wildcat basketball team, and in recognition thereof a copy of this resolution be sent to each player and to Coach Joe Turner.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Bill Signed

The President signed, in the presence of the Senate, after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

S. B. No. 211, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing an administrator or executor under the control and jurisdiction of any county court of this State to commit royalty and other mineral interests of the estate being administered in oil, gas, and other minerals or any one or more of them to agreements providing for the operation of areas as a unit for the exploration, development, and production of said minerals or any one or more of them, etc.; and declaring an emergency."

Senate Resolution 109

Senator Lane offered the following resolution:

Whereas, There is visiting in the Capitol today a former distinguished

member of this body who was recognized for his ability and leadership in various phases of legislative and parliamentary proceedings; and

Whereas, This great Texan has served his County, State and Nation with distinction; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the Senate of Texas to recognize the presence of the Honorable Harold Beck of Texarkana, Texas, in our midst today; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of Texas, that Honorable Harold Beck be extended a cordial welcome to the Capitol; that he be extended the courtesies of the Senate floor today; and further, that he be invited to give the members of the Senate the benefit of a few pearls of wisdom.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Senate Resolution 110

Senator Ashley offered the following resolution:

Whereas, We are honored today to have in the gallery the 9th and 10th grades, Social Science Classes, of the Liberty Hill High School, accompanied by their teacher, D. W. McLendon; and

Whereas, These students and guests are on an educational tour of the Capitol Building and the Capital City; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That these individuals be officially welcomed and recognized by the Senate, and that they be extended the courtesies of the floor for the day.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

Motion to Consolidate Senate Bills Nos. 85, 86, 87, 88, and 89

Senator Carney asked unanimous consent that Senate Bills Nos. 85, 86, 87, 88, and 89 be consolidated and that the committee substitute for all the above-numbered bills be known as Senate Bill No. 85.

There was no objection offered.

Committee Substitute Senate Bill 85 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Carney and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended, and the President laid before the Senate on second reading and passage to engrossment the following bill:

C. S. S. B. No. 85, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support and maintenance of the judiciary and the executive and administrative departments and agencies of the State of Texas, for the support, maintenance and improvement of the State hospitals and special schools and the institutions under the management and control of the Youth Development Council of the State of Texas, for the operation, maintenance and improvement of the several State institutions of higher education and certain other institutions and agencies and to supplement local funds for the support and improvement of the accredited public junior colleges of Texas for the biennium beginning September 1, 1951, and ending August 31, 1953; etc.; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Strauss offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 85, page 369, subsection 14, by striking out the words "The Highway Department and Railroad Commission."

On motion of Senator Carney, the amendment was tabled by the following vote:

Yeas—27

Aikin	Lock
Ashley	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Nokes
Corbin	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Hardeman	Russell
Hazlewood	Shofner
Hudson	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Wagonseller
Lane	

Nays—4

Bell	Strauss
Carter	Weinert

Senator Nokes offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 85, Chapter IV, page 382, by striking out the first paragraph thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "The funds herein appropriated shall be disbursed to and distributed proportionately among the public Junior Colleges which qualify to receive them

on the basis of full time student equivalents enrolled in approved courses of study."

Senator Carney moved to table the amendment.

The amendment was tabled by the following vote:

Yeas—26

Aikin	Kelley of Hidalgo
Ashley	Kelly of Tarrant
Bell	Lane
Bracewell	Lock
Bullock	Martin
Carney	Parkhouse
Carter	Phillips
Colson	Russell
Corbin	Shofner
Fuller	Strauss
Hardeman	Tynan
Hazlewood	Wagonseller
Hudson	Weinert

Nays—3

McDonald	Nokes
Moore	

Absent

Moffett	Vick
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Senator Bullock offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend Senate Bill 85, Chapter IV, page 382, by adding the following after the sentence closing with the words "per capita" in the first paragraph of the page, said insertion to read as follows:

"Provided, however, that none of the funds herein appropriated shall be disbursed to any public junior college which also offers four-year courses of instruction at the college level unless said junior college offering such four-year courses shall also levy a local property tax within the district of as much as forty cents on the hundred dollar property valuation."

On motion of Senator Carney, the amendment was tabled by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Nokes
Corbin	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Hazlewood	Shofner
Kelley of Hidalgo	Strauss
Lane	Tynan

Nays—11

Ashley	Moore
Bullock	Russell
Carter	Vick
Hardeman	Wagonseller
Hudson	Weinert
Kelly of Tarrant	

Senator Strauss offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 85, page 188, Group XVII, line 1; by deleting the figures \$17,500.00 and inserting in lieu the figures \$15,000.00.

Senator Carney moved to table the amendment.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—24

Aikin	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Carney	Moffett
Colson	Moore
Corbin	Nokes
Fuller	Parkhouse
Hazlewood	Phillips
Hudson	Russell
Kelley of Hidalgo	Shofner
Kelly of Tarrant	Tynan
Lane	Wagonseller

Nays—7

Ashley	Strauss
Bullock	Vick
Carter	Weinert
Hardeman	

Senator Bullock offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 85, page 188, Group XVI, line 1, by changing the figure \$11,000 to the figure \$8,400.

On motion of Senator Carney, the amendment was tabled by the following vote:

Yeas—21

Aikin	Lock
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Colson	Nokes
Corbin	Parkhouse
Fuller	Phillips
Hazlewood	Shofner
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Wagonseller
Lane	

Nays—10

Ashley	Bullock
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Carter	Russell
Hardeman	Strauss
Hudson	Vick
Martin	Weinert

The bill, as substituted, was passed to engrossment.

Committee Substitute Bill 85 on Third Reading

Senator Carney moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 85 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—30

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Carter	Nokes
Colson	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Fuller	Russell
Hardeman	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Wagon seller
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert

Nays—1

Vick

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

Record of Votes

Senators Hardeman, Bullock and Vick asked to be recorded as voting "nay" on the final passage of S. B. No. 85.

Senate Joint Resolution 1 on Second Reading

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo asked unanimous consent to suspend the regular order of business and lay out S. J. R. No. 1 for consideration at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Kelley of Hidalgo then moved to suspend the regular order

of business in order that S. J. R. No. 1 be laid before the Senate for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—23

Aikin	Martin
Bell	McDonald
Bracewell	Moore
Carney	Nokes
Carter	Parkhouse
Colson	Phillips
Corbin	Russell
Fuller	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Wagon seller
Lock	

Nays—8

Ashley	Lane
Bullock	Moffett
Hardeman	Vick
Hudson	Weinert

The President laid before the Senate on second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. J. R. No. 1, Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas repealing Section 56 of Article XVI relating to the expenditure of public money for the establishment and maintenance of a Bureau of Immigration.

The resolution was read second time.

Senator Bracewell offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend S. J. R. No. 1 by striking out Section 4.

The amendment was adopted.

Question—Shall S. J. R. No. 1 be passed to engrossment?

Adjournment

Senator Weinert moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—17

Aikin	Hardeman
Ashley	Hazlewood
Bullock	Hudson
Carter	Kelly of Tarrant

Lane	Shofner
Martin	Tynan
Moffett	Vick
Nokes	Weinert
Russell	

Nays—14

Bell	Lock
Bracewell	McDonald
Carney	Moore
Colson	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Fuller	Strauss
Kelley of Hidalgo	Wagonseller

Accordingly the Senate at 12:10 o'clock a. m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

FORTIETH DAY

(Wednesday, March 21, 1951)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Lane
Ashley	Lock
Bell	Martin
Bracewell	McDonald
Bullock	Moffett
Carney	Moore
Carter	Nokes
Colson	Parkhouse
Corbin	Phillips
Fuller	Russell
Hardeman	Shofner
Hazlewood	Strauss
Hudson	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Wagonseller

Absent—Excused

Weinert

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend W. H. Townsend, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

Leave of Absence

Senator Weinert was granted leave of absence for today and the remainder of the week on account of important business on motion of Senator Hardeman.

Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Kelly of Tarrant submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 263, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass but that the adopted committee substitute therefor do pass in lieu thereof and be printed.

KELLY of Tarrant

C. S. S. B. No. 263 was read first time.

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred H. B. No. 38, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

KELLY of Tarrant

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 296, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

KELLY of Tarrant

Austin, Texas,
March 20, 1951.

Hon. Ben Ramsey, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Insurance, to whom was referred S. B. No. 39, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended, and be printed.

KELLY of Tarrant

Senator Strauss submitted the following report: